

REMARKS

In accordance with 37 CFR § 1.121, a corrected section, "Amendments to the Claims," is being resubmitted for consideration in reply to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment. Specifically, the claims status identifier for Claims 28 ("Original") was missing, and was improper as written under claim amending practice specified under 37 CFR § 1.121. The resubmitted "Amendments to the Claims" reflects the complete listing of all the claims in the application along with their proper status. No new matter is introduced with these amendments. Accordingly, withdrawal of the Notice and consideration of the amendment filed May 23, 2006 is respectfully requested.

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